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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(b), transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.53(f))

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**Title:** "IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS FOR CORRECTING A COLOR AND TEXTURE OF AN IMAGE AND DISPLAYING THE CORRECTED IMAGE"

**Priority Claim** (35 U.S.C. 119) is made, based upon:

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**Enclosed herewith are:**

- [X] Specification (Description, Claims, Abstract): Pages 1 - 41 ; Number of claims 1 - 17  
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[X] 8 Sheets of drawings, Figures 1 - 14 [X] Formal [ ] Informal  
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Total Claims	<u>27</u> - <u>20</u> =		<u>7</u>	x \$18.00 =	\$ <u>126.00</u>
Independent Claims	<u>1</u> - <u>3</u> =		<u>0</u>	x \$78.00 =	\$ <u>          </u>
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				+ \$260.00 =	\$ <u>          </u>
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